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REMARKS

The present amendment adds an Abstract of the Disclosure and removes the multiple dependency from the claims.

The examination and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

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Abstract of the Disclosure

An isolated or recombinant DNA sequence coding for a mammalian, including human, glucuronyl C5-epimerase or a functional derivative thereof capable of converting D-glucuronic acid (GlcA) to L-iduronic acid (IdoA); a recombinant expression vector comprising such DNA sequence; a host cell transformed with such recombinant expression vector; a process for the manufacture of a glucuronyl C5-epimerase or functional derivative thereof capable of converting GlcA to IdoA, comprising cultivation of a cell-line transformed with such recombinant expression vector; and a glucuronyl C5-epimerase or functional derivative thereof prepared by such process.

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